

Glades Happenings

ATTENDANCE PLUMS
School attendance at both the Pahokee and Canal Point schools, showed a lot of improvement on Friday, according to the principal.

CARS ARE WRECKED
Jack Kelley, manager of the Belle Glade, Dowling, and J. E. Campbell, on West Palm Beach, had a car on collision near South Bay, Thursday night, due to skidding head lights. Kelley was driving the new 1941 Mercury car.

of Clyde Doolittle, he having gone on an errand for the owner of the car. This car was brought into the B. Elliott garage on Friday in an almost completely demolished condition. The Campbell car was also a wreck. Both drivers escaped with minor injuries.

DAUGHTERS ARRIVE
A daughter was born to Dr. and Mrs. Harold Elsbury, at the Western Palm Beach County hospital, last Friday. Dr. Elsbury is Belle Glade.

SELECTEDS LEAVE
Okeechobee county's delegation on the second call for selectees, who will train at Camp Blanding, were Norris L. Jewell and F. B. Smith. They left for camp Tuesday.

ATTENDANCE LAW
Owing to much sickness among the selectees, which cut down attendance at the Monday afternoon session of the Christian Science department, at the Pahokee Methodist church, only a few business sessions and a book review was conducted. The special pledge service which Mrs. G. Hill, the president, has planned, was postponed to a later date.

OCCUPY NEW HOME
Councilman and Mrs. Axel Jensen, and family, are now occupying their new home on Barfield road, which Mr. Jensen has been building by his own labor the past six months.

A Year of Accomplishments

The year just ended was a record year of general telephone expansion in the South. Millions were spent to expand local and long distance facilities and other millions were expended for preparedness projects. At the same time, the numerous and varied governmental and industrial emergency needs were filled promptly.

Nearly 300,000 new telephones were installed and about 180,000 taken out, making a net gain for the year of more than 110,000. Sixty-eight new central offices were built and put into service. Twelve of these were new exchanges, and fifty-six replaced manually operated offices with the newest type dial equipment. Rural sections also shared liberally in this program.

The gross expenditures for new construction and replacements exceeded \$40,000,000.

It was a year of outstanding accomplishments achieved under exceptional conditions. The thousands of telephone men and women responsible for this work are just proud of the results. They begin the new year confident in their ability to meet the future telephone requirements of this fast growing section of the nation.

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DOES FORD PAY GOOD WAGES?

HERE ARE SOME FACTS ABOUT THE FORD PLANT. During the year ended November 30, 1940, the Ford Payroll of the United States averaged 115,628 hourly wage earners, not including office employees, students, or executives. They were paid \$183,105,639.12. On this basis, the average annual wage was \$1,629.05.

According to the latest available government figures, the annual average wage of all workers in employment covered by old age insurance law was \$841.00.

If the 45,000,000 workers of this country received the same average wage as Ford employees, they would have had additional wages of more than \$35,000,000,000, thus increasing the national income about 50%. Think what an increase would mean to the workers of this country and to the American farmer, whose prices are based on the national income.

Wage scales in the Ford Rouge plants are divided into three classifications:

Unskilled Minimum hiring wage . 75c per hour
Semi-skilled Minimum hiring wage . 80c per hour
Skilled Minimum hiring wage . 90c per hour

Higher wages are in consideration of ability and years of service.

Minimum wage scales for unskilled labor at the Rouge plant are the highest in the industry. Top wages for skilled labor compare favorably with, or are higher than, wages in other automobile plants.

Now some facts on Ford labor conditions: Not only are sanitation and other health conditions the best in the industry, but Ford also leads in safety devices for the protection of employees. Proof of this is found in the following com-

parison of company and insurance records. The national average rate in automotive manufacturing plants as computed by the National Association of Manufacturers is \$1.36 premium on each \$100 payroll. The Ford cost of workmen's compensation is less than 50c.

This indicates that the chance of injury in a Ford plant is much less than in the average automobile plant.

The Ford Motor Company has no age limit for labor, and in fact deliberately attempts to keep older workers working. 71% average age of Ford workers at the Rouge and nearby plants is 38.7.

A recent check-up shows that nearly one-half the work force at these Ford plants were 40 or over, falling into these age groups:

25,819 between 40 and 50
14,751 between 50 and 60
3,377 between 60 and 70
417 between 70 and 80
12 between 80 and 90

In addition to the so-called regular employees, the Ford Motor Company has hired, and now has on the payroll, at the same regular hourly wage, thousands of workers who are blind, crippled or otherwise incapacitated for normal productive work. They are not selected for their ability to build cars or to maintain the plant. They are on the payroll because of Henry Ford's belief that the responsibility of a large company to labor goes beyond the point at which the unfortunate worker can no longer produce profitably.

The above are facts. They are open to anyone who really wants to deal in facts. Anyone who wants to get a new car, buy a car, or plan a national defense contract on the basis of fair labor treatment must place Ford at the top of his flexible list.

FORD MOTOR COMPANY

MOVIE BUSINESS CAMP
The special movie camp of Mrs. L. L. Lander for the past three years, has wound up its log shipping business at the point, and moved to the new quarters near Alva. For three years the company has shipped an average of 18 car loads of logs to the Slater saw mill to be sawed into lumber.

MILLER BABY DIES
A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Miller, of Canal Point, at the Pahokee hospital on last Saturday morning. However, the child passed away some hours after birth. The child was named Judith. The Everglades funeral home interred the body at the Port Mayaca cemetery.

ANNOUNCE BANQUET DATE
The Business and Professional Women's club will hold its annual Employee and Employers banquet at the Pahokee Woman's club, on the evening of January 21, at 7 o'clock. An excellent program is being arranged for the event, which is one always looked forward to with interest and those extending hospitality.

NEW BOARD MEMBERS
Hendry county now has four new members on its board of commissioners, who took office a week ago, namely: G. E. Elbertson of Clewiston; J. O. Davidson, George L. Poole, and Jim Maddox. The only old member is Frank McCallahan.

POSTPONED MEETING
The temperature in the city hall at Pahokee, last Friday night, was such that no meeting of council was held. Three of the councilmen were reported home coming for attacks of colds. There will be no session of council till the next regular meeting night.

JOE PENNER DEAD
Joe Penner, comedian and screen actor, whom thousands have heard over the radio in the past few years, was found dead in his hotel apartment at Philadelphia, Friday, where he was filling a theatre engagement.

HANDS-DOWN DECISION
The Florida Supreme Court handed down an interesting and far reaching decision, on Friday, in a hot issue case. The court held that owners of tax exemption homesteads, with no other taxable property may not vote as freeholders on bonds.

ANNOUNCE FESTIVAL
The annual Orange festival at Winter Haven has been announced for January 27 to 31, in its new home with finer and larger attractions than any other. The Association will tender its customary breakfast to the Florida Press people on Friday night at the Haven hotel. Governor Spessard Holland will visit the fair on Friday and will be an honored guest at the affair.

EPIDEMIC OF COLD SYMPTOMS
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LEAVING DATE SET
Judge C. E. Callaway, Jr., has set January 21, as the date for the hearing in connection with the \$35,000 Pahokee city bond issue valuation.

SUFFER FROM FLU
Mrs. Dan Jordan, one of the teachers in the Pahokee schools, has been confined to her home the past week by an attack of the flu.

IMPROVE FROM FLUCIES
Charles Barfield, of the Pahokee News, on Monday afternoon, brought the aged Mr. and Mrs. A. Barfield and his sister, Miss Lulu Barfield, to the Pahokee home, after a three week stay at the Coast Samaritan hospital, where they were given care after a slight auto accident near L. natchee. Both are reported as improving as well as can be expected.

BUILD NEW HOME
Dr. and Mrs. Harry Elsbury are having a new home built in the Bailey sub-division in Pahokee. Ed Barnes, of the Christian Chevrolet company, is also erecting a home in the same locality.

VISIT IN OKEECHOBEE
Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Fletcher, of the Pioneer Drug store in Pahokee, visited former friends in Okeechobee, on Sunday.

PETE HARRISON VISITS
Captain Pete Harrison, formerly city marshal of Pahokee, now located at Cocoa, was a Sunday visitor in Pahokee, where he met many of his former friends.

New Officials In Okeechobee
Considerable change was made in the official family of Okeechobee county, last week, when new members took office and old ones retired, at the annual organization sessions. J. L. Barber, who has been retired for 12 years, retired in favor of Roy E. Reuland; C. C. Simmons turned over the sheriff's office to L. L. Connel; W. W. Connel, Jr., was retained as county attorney for the commissioners.

USE NEW SYSTEM
The Florida Power and Light Company on Sunday afternoon made a successful transfer of power to its new distributing system.

WEATHER
Temperature and rainfall at Canal Point, Fla., for the week ending January 12, 1941.

Date	Max.	Min.	Rain
Jan. 7	73	60	0.22
8	72	62	—
9	76	60	0.40
10	67	59	—
11	63	49	—
12	66	46	—
13	68	42	—

Av. 68.9 54.0 0.62
Total rainfall since Jan. 1, 1941 0.9

Income Tax Forms In Original Only March 15, This Year

West Palm Beach Office To Serve Payers From Eight Counties

Individual and corporation income tax returns this year will be made on original only, no duplicate being required. The announcement was made by collector of the United States Internal Revenue in Florida, after he had received many inquiries by persons who received the income tax forms through the mails last week. For the past three years the department had required forms to be filed in duplicate.

Collector reiterated a warning against too long a delay in filing returns this year because of the heavy increase expected due to changes in the tax law. The increase in number of returns is expected to come mostly as a result of the requirements of returns from married persons living together whose gross income was \$500.00 or more. Additional returns will be filed through the local office as a result of the establishment of Army and Navy camps throughout the State Collector Pals stated. The filing period began January 17 and the deadline is Midnight (Saturday) March 15th.

Due to the fact that the West Palm Beach office is a field office, covering eight counties, that of Palm Beach County, Martin, St. Louis, Indian River, Okeechobee, Hendry, Glades and Highlands Counties, the office will be open with office hours at room 108 Post Office Building West Palm Beach, between 8:30 a. m. and 12 o'clock noon, until March 31st. From March 31st to May 1st, the office will be open from 8:30 a. m. to midnight. Deputies on duty will be J. Denham, Bird and John H. Maloy Jr.

Exhibit space in the 1941 edition of the Florida Orange Festival at Winter Haven is being subscribed for in such quantities that all available space is expected by late to be taken long before the gates are thrown open on Monday, Jan. 27.

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Bank Of Pahokee Elects Officers

The Bank of Pahokee on Tuesday held its annual election, and re-elected its old board of directors and officials. The board consists of J. C. Caffey, R. K. Lewis, Rupert Mock, E. F. McIlwain and R. L. Earnest. The officers are: President, J. C. Caffey; vice-president, R. K. Lewis; cashier, Rupert Mock; assistant cashier, E. F. McIlwain.

President Caffey reports that business of the year has been very satisfactory. The bank has added enlarged banking space for offices, and new banking facilities for ever increasing patrons.

Winter Visitor Dies In Pahokee

John A. Avery, age 65, a resident of Griffin, Ga., who came to Pahokee two months ago to spend the winter with his daughters, died on Friday afternoon, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Walker. The Everglades funeral home forwarded the body to Griffin, Ga., on Saturday, where funeral services were held on Sunday. Surviving daughters are Mrs. Robert Walker, Mrs. C. A. Bachelor and Mrs. E. J. Sanders, of Pahokee, and E. P. Avery, of Griffin, is a son. The deceased also had two brothers, Clayborn and Edward Avery residing in Norfolk, Virginia.

Heavy Rainfall Averages 2 Inches

One of the heaviest rains of the season fell over the Glades region Wednesday night, accompanied by heavenly pyrotechnics. Reports show that an average of two inches of water fell during the three hours of rain. Pedestrians in Belle Glade and Pahokee did considerable waiting to get to their destinations after the rain.

Boxing Bouts For Belle Glade

Belle Glade boxing fans are making arrangements for holding of weekly amateur boxing fights at the Ace theatre, starting early in February. M. M. Herit, who handled the fights last year, has again been named as manager and match maker. He promises some good cards for the season.

GOES TO SARASOTA

Rev. H. S. Insalait, who has been the efficient and popular pastor of the Okeechobee Baptist church for the past three years, has concluded his pastoral relations with the church, and has taken up his new ministerial duties at the Second Baptist church at Sarasota.

EXTENDS TAG DEADLINE

Owing to the mix-up over fees for licenses to be paid on certain types of Ford, Chevrolet and Plymouth cars, Governor Spensard Holland, on Wednesday night, extended the time for securing new auto licenses until midnight of January 31.

WIN 3 FROM CANAL POINT

Canal Point school teams, on Tuesday, went to South Bay to play a trio of basketball games with the Junior high teams. South Bay won all three of the games by the following scores: Junior team, South Bay, 19, Canal Point, 12; Girls, South Bay, 11, Canal Point, 4; midlets, South Bay, 16, Canal Point, 14.

TRUCK IS RETURNED

A truck owned by Gordon Vann, which went into the River at New Smyrna Beach, a month ago, was brought to the B. Elmsly garage the forepart of the week, looking very much the worse for its plunge. The truck will be repaired for future use.

PLAN SCOUT WEEK

Officials of the Canal Point Boy Scout troop are planning for celebration of Scout Week, which comes February 7-13. Plans are for a public entertainment and a church service.

HELPS INSTALL FIXTURES

J. A. Cochran of Atlanta headquarters is in Belle Glade this week where he is assisting J. F. McClure, Jr., in installation of new fixtures in the Western Auto Associate Store to be opened on Saturday morning.

RELATIVE DIES

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Walker and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mackey, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lockwood, H. B. and D. H. Walker, of South Bay, were in Barlow Monday, to attend the funeral services of Mrs. D. D. Walker, a relative.

SERIOUSLY ILL

Mrs. Olive J. Bartholomew, aged mother of Mrs. John M. Gledhill of Pahokee, has been confined to her bed for the past ten days, with a serious illness.

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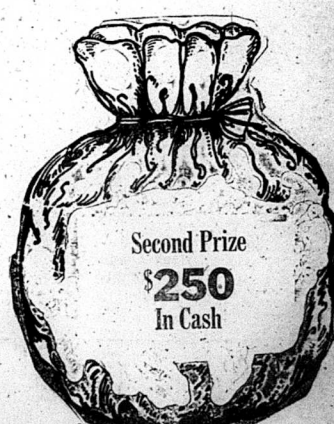
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